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1 SENATE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened to
3 learn of the death of Earl Hildemar Leafblad of Waukegan, who
4 passed away on April 8, 2014; and

5 WHEREAS, Earl Leafblad was born on July 13, 1929 in Mason,
6 Wisconsin and grew up in Bayfield; and

7 WHEREAS, Earl Leafblad worked with his family at Leafblad
8 Landscaping; and

9 WHEREAS, Earl Leafblad was a member of Immanuel Lutheran
10 Church for over 50 years; and

11 WHEREAS, Earl Leafblad was preceded in death by his wife of
12 39 years, Jean; daughter, Jina Riley; son, Wayne Earl Leafblad;
13 great-granddaughter, Te'Liyah Jones; parents, Hildemar and
14 Britta; and 9 siblings; and

15 WHEREAS, Earl Leafblad is survived by his children, Mark
16 (Marian) Leafblad, Charles Leafblad, and Jana Jones; 4
17 grandchildren, Shareace (Alphonso) Jackson, Robin Leafblad,
18 Robert (Lakesha) Jones, and Grace Leafblad; 10
19 great-grandchildren; sister, Geraldine Bell; son-in-law, J.J.
20 Riley; sisters-in-law, Delphine Leafblad and Clara Johnson;

1 and a host of nieces and nephews; therefore, be it

2 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-EIGHTH GENERAL
3 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
4 Earl Hildemar Leafblad, and extend our sincere condolences to
5 his family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it
6 further

7 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
8 presented to the family of Earl Leafblad as an expression of
9 our deepest sympathy.